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Docket No.: K21364USWO (C038435/0184371)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Werner BONRATH *et al.*

Serial No.: 10/524,762

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For: **ETHYNYLATION PROCESS**

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Examiner: Kellette Gale

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New York, New York
April 23, 2008

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION INCLUDING AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 23, 2008, which set a three-month shortened statutory period for response. Accordingly, this response is filed timely upon mailing, with an executed certificate of mailing, on or before April 23, 2008. 37 CFR §§ 1.7 and 1.8. No fee is believed to be due. If it is determined that a fee is due, please charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 02-4467. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Amendment Dated: April 23, 2008
Reply to Office Action Dated: January 23, 2008

Please amend the application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 8 of this paper.